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Poultry Programs

Date Issued: Dec. 14, 2005

TURKEY TACO FILLING, INVITATION NO. 2, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-304

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell frozen cooked turkey taco filling as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers from approved suppliers are due by 12 noon, Central time, **Tuesday**, **Dec. 27** (due to the holiday on Monday for Federal employees). Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Dec. 30. Deliveries will be made in accordance with the notice-to-deliver.

Offers are invited from suppliers which have been previously approved by the Contracting Officer for frozen cooked turkey taco filling, produced from ground turkey (ready-to-cook, nonbasted, young turkeys or turkey products, and turkey skin), and spices/seasonings. The commodity must be packaged in 3- or 5-pound (1.36- or 2.27-kg) packages to a net weight of 30 pounds (13.61 kg) in each fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,300 shipping containers totaling 39,000 pounds (17,690 kg).

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-304, the Commodity Specification for Turkey Taco Filling dated July 2005, or this invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

Purchases of the commodity listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-304, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

ANNOUNCEMENT: PY304 INVITATION : 002

23 TURKEY, FROZEN COMM GROUP :

COMM TYPE : 13 TURKEY TACO FILLING PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CTN

ITEM NO			DELIVERY DATE	MINIMUM QUANTITY	MAXIMUM QUANTITY	
001	ALABAMA BIRMINGHAM CLANTON BIRMINGHAM/ CALERA CALERA CLANTON/ BIRMINGHAM	AL AL AL	03/1-15/06 03/1-15/06 03/16-31/06 03/16-31/06 03/16-31/06	117,000	273,000	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY
002	CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES COMMERCE POMONA LOS ANGELES POMONA LOS ANGELES	CA CA CA	02/1-15/06 02/16-28/06	117,000	273,000	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY
003	CONNECTICUT ROCKY HILL	СТ	03/1-15/06	0	117,000	TRUCK ONLY
004	IOWA DES MOINES SIOUX CITY/ MASON CITY		02/16-28/06 02/16-28/06	0	156,000	TRUCK ONLY
005	MASSACHUSETTS WILMINGTON TAUNTON SPRINGFIELD/ WILMINGTON SPRINGFIELD/ TAUNTON	MA MA	03/1-15/06 03/1-15/06 03/1-15/06 03/1-15/06	78,000	234,000	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY
006	NEW JERSEY PORT NEWARK VINELAND PORT NEWARK VINELAND VINELAND PORT NEWARK	NJ NJ NJ NJ	02/1-15/06 02/1-15/06 02/16-28/06 03/1-15/06 03/16-31/06 03/16-31/06	156,000	312,000	

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007	NORTH CAROLINA			273,000	429,000	
	SALISBURY	NC	02/1-15/06			TRUCK ONLY
	CREEDMOOR	NC	02/1-15/06			TRUCK ONLY
	CREEDMOOR	NC	02/1-15/06			TRUCK ONLY
	CREEDMOOR	NC	03/16-31/06			TRUCK ONLY
	SALISBURY	NC	03/16-31/06			TRUCK ONLY
800	OREGON			0	156,000	
	FOREST GROVE	OR	02/1-15/06			
	FOREST GROVE	OR	02/16-28/06			

Dennis J. Pearson Contracting Officer

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